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- 1. In Re Application No.: 10/779,331 of Don Hannula et al. Entitled: "Headband with Tension Indicator" filed on February 13, 2004.
- 2. In Re Application No.: 11/358,868 of Don Hannula et al. Entitled: "Hat-Based Oximeter Sensor" filed on February 21, 2006.

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- 3. In Re Application No.: 11/494,435 of Don Hannula et al. Entitled: "Hat-Based Oximeter Sensor" filed on July 26, 2006.
- 4. In Re Application No.: 11/494,357 of Don Hannula et al. Entitled: "Hat-Based Oximeter Sensor" filed on July 26, 2007.
- 5. In Re Application No.: 11/494,436 of Don Hannula et al. Entitled: "Hat-Based Oximeter Sensor" filed on July 26, 2006.
- 6. In Re Application No.: 11/494,365 of Don Hannula et al. Entitled: "Hat-Based Oximeter Sensor" filed on July 26, 2006.
- 7. In Re Application No.: 11/495,195 of Paul D. Mannheimer et al. Entitled: "Forehead Sensor Placement" filed on July 28, 2006.
- 8. In Re Application No.: 11/495,413 of Paul D. Mannheimer et al. Entitled: "Forehead Sensor Placement" filed on July 28, 2006.
- 9. In Re Application No.: 11/495,792 of Paul D. Mannheimer et al. Entitled: "Forehead Sensor Placement" filed on July 28, 2006.

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Information Disclosure Statement is believed to constitute a concise explanation of the relevance of the listed reference as it is presently understood by the individual designated in § 1.56(c) most knowledgeable about the content of the listed reference, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(3).

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Respectfully submitted,

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